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Good Morning,

Attached is the Draft Proposed Near Term Conservation Measures for Modeling and Analysis for discussion at next weeks Steering Committee meeting, Sept 10th.

Excerpted below is the Note to Reviewers describing the intent of the chart.

Please review and come to the meeting with your questions, comments and contributions.

Thank you

Karen

Note to Reviewers: This table provides a summary of proposed near-term Delta conservation measures, including near-term water operations, habitat actions and other measures, for the purpose of conducting the BDCP effects analysis. It was prepared by the SAIC consultant team at the request of the BDCP Steering Committee. Information in this table provides the basis for hydrologic and hydrodynamic modeling inputs for the effects analyses, the information from which will then be used to refine the current draft of Chapter 3 of the BDCP as the planning process progresses over the course of the fall.

This proposal is intended to assist in modeling and analytical purposes only. This proposal does not supersede or otherwise reflect upon the adequacy of existing regulatory requirements pertaining to the operations of the State Water Project or the Central Valley Project.

In conjunction with this modeling and analytical work now underway in support of the BDCP planning process, the Steering Committee is also developing a comprehensive set of metrics that will be used to track the effectiveness of the conservation measures of the BDCP in achieving the near-term and long-term biological goals and objectives of the BDCP. These metrics are being developed and evaluated by a working group of technical experts, assisted by the SAIC team, and may be assisted by additional scientific input at the election of the BDCP Steering Committee as the work progresses. These metrics will be incorporated into the BDCP conservation strategy over the course of the fall 2009.

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